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SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA MARICOPA COUNTY

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HONORABLE JOSEPH KREAMER

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STATE OF ARIZONA JEANNETTE GALLAGHER

v.

MACARIO LOPEZ JR. (001) ERIC GEORGE CROCKER

GARY J BEVILACQUA

CAPITAL CASE MANAGER

STATUS CONFERENCE

1:30 p.m. This is the time set for Status Conference on Defendants' Motion for Evidentiary Hearing in Support of Motion to Strike Notice of Intent to Seek the Death Penalty. The following parties are present:

CR2013-103200-001, State's Attorney: Hilary Weinberg

State v. Jorge Amaya Acuna Defendant's Attorney: Jeffrey A. Kirchler and Joseph Stazzone

Defendant: Present

CR2011-138856-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher State v. John Michael Allen Defendant's Attorney: Robert Reinhardt

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2011-138856-003 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher

State v. Sammantha Lucille Defendant's Attorney: John Curry and Jeremy Bogart

Rebecca Allen Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2013-419619-002 State's Attorney: Marischa Gilla for Kirsten Valenzuela

State v. Darnell Moses Alvarez Defendant's Attorney: Michael Ziemba

Defendant: Present

CR2012-007044-001 State's Attorney: Jessi Wade for Kirsten Valenzuela State v. Ashley Denise Defendant's Attorney: Eric Crocker for James Cleary

Buckman Defendant: Presence Waived

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CR2011-133622-001 State's Attorney: Eric Basta

State v. Jesus Antonio Busso- Defendant's Attorney: Tonya Peterson and Stacy Hyder

Estopellan Defendant: Present

CR2012-008340-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Patricia Stevens

State v. Kurt Dustin Coleman Defendant's Attorney: Gregory Navazo

Defendant: Present

CR2011-155640-001 State's Attorney: Marischa Gilla

State v. Corey Rasean Daniels Defendant's Attorney: R.J. Parker and Alan Tavassoli

Defendant: Present

CR2010-168096-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Vince Goddard

State v. Craig Michael Devine Defendant's Attorney: Steve Koestner and Bruce Buck

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2013-003468-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Laura Reckart

State v. Octavio Garcia Defendant's Attorney: Alicia Dominguez, Lindsay Abramson and

Cynthia Brubaker

Defendant: Present

CR2010-137021-001 State's Attorney: Susie Charbel State v. Victor Hernandez Defendant's Attorney: Brandon Cotto

Defendant: Present

CR2010-007912-001 State's Attorney: Jessi Wade for Kirsten Valenzuela
State v. Darnell Reuna Jackson Defendant's Attorney: Alan Tayassoli and R. I. Parker

State v. Darnell Reuna Jackson Defendant's Attorney: Alan Tavassoli and R.J. Parker Defendant: Present

CR2010-048824-001 State's Attorney: Kristin Larish
State v. James Clayton Johnson Defendant's Attorney: Robert Reinhardt and Peter Jones

Defendant: Presence Waived

Defendant. Presence waived

CR2013-001614-001 State's Attorney: Susie Charbel State v. Moises Hernandez Defendant's Attorney: Tonya Peterson

Lagunas Defendant: Present

Interpreter: Fabiola Cerezo

CR2013-002559-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Vince Imbordino

State v. Dennis Michael Levis Defendant's Attorney: Steve Koestner and Bruce Buck

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2011-007597-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher
State v. Macario Lopez Defendant's Attorney: Eric Crocker and Gary Bevilacqua

Defendant: Present

Defendant: Presen

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CR2013-110974-001 State's Attorney: Jessi Wade
State v. Richard Molina Defendant's Attorney: Robert Reinhardt
Luzania Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2013-458974-001 State's Attorney: Susie Charbel

State v. Alex Anthony Madrid Defendant's Attorney: Bobbi Falduto and Angela Walker

Defendant: Present

CR2012-133415-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Juan Martinez

State v. Joseph Michael Defendant's Attorney: John Curry and Lisa Gray

Matthews Defendant: Present

CR2013-004357-001 State's Attorney: Susie Charbel

State v. Robin Leroy McJunkin Defendant's Attorney: Bobbi Falduto for Lawrence Blieden; Jennifer

Roach

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2014-128973-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Patricia Stevens

State v. Gary Michael Moran Defendant's Attorney: Bobbi Falduto and Angela Walker

Defendant: Present

CR2011-138281-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher

State v. Jason Neil Noonkester Defendant's Attorney: Susan Corey and Peter Jones

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2013-462024-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Vince Imbordino

State v. Ricardo Alejandro Defendant's Attorney: Alicia Dominguez for Lawrence Matthew;

Ramirez Terry Bublik
Defendant: Present

CR2013-002559-002 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Vince H. Imbordino

State v. Thomas Michael Riley Advisory Counsel: Randall Craig and Benjamin Taylor

Defendant: Present – pro per

CR2012-138236-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Jay Rademacher

State v. Dwandarrius Jamar Defendant's Attorney: Jaime Hindmarch

Robinson Defendant: Present

CR2012-114731-001 State's Attorney: Jessi Wade for Ryan Green State v. Jarvis Jovan Ross Defendant's Attorney: Susan Corey for Gary Beren

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2010-007882-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher

State v. Jasper Phillip Rushing Defendant's Attorney: Randall J. Craig and Stephen Duncan

Defendant: Present

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CR2004-005523-001 State's Attorney: Jessi Wade for Patricia Stevens & Ryan Green State v. Joshua Idlefonso Defendant's Attorney: Alicia Dominguez for Lawrence Matthew;

Villalobos

Terry Bublik

Defendant: Presence Waived

CR2014-108856-001 State's Attorney: Jeannette Gallagher for Laura M. Reckart

State v. Judith Elaine Walthers Defendant's Attorney: John Canby and Jeremy Bogart

Defendant: Present

The Court has received a camera request. On behalf of Defendant Macario Lopez, Mr. Bevilacqua objects to Defendant's face and the security personnel present being photographed; the objection is joined by all defendants.

For the reasons stated on the record,

IT IS ORDERED excluding photography, still or video, of any defendants at this time. No other exclusions are made. The still photographer is instructed not to use or disseminate any of the photos of defendants already taken today. This ruling is without prejudice to the media to challenge this decision; the Court will set a hearing to allow time for defense counsel to respond to the media request.

The Court has reviewed the following pleadings filed in CR2011-007597-001: 1) Defendant's Motion for Evidentiary Hearing in Support of Motion to Strike Notice of Intent to Seek the Death Penalty filed March 25, 2015; 2) Defendant's Initial Notice of Disclosure filed March 25, 2015 containing disks; 3) the State's Response filed March 27, 2015; and 4) Defendant's Reply filed April 17, 2015.

The Court considers Mr. Bevilacqua's filings in CR2011-007597-001, State v. Lopez, as the lead filings joined by the other defendants.

Ms. Corey addresses the defense view of the facts as set forth in the Initial Notice of Disclosure.

The Court accepts the statistics as provided by Professor Spohn for purposes of the argument on the Motion to Dismiss State's Notice of Intent to Seek the Death Penalty.

Mr. Crocker argues that defendants have a right to an evidentiary hearing to show that their data is factual in nature.

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The Court finds that the defendants do not have the right to an evidentiary hearing to prove facts that the Court is accepting as true for purposes of the argument.

Mr. Crocker moves on behalf of all defendants to stay this proceeding to address the issue with the Court of Appeals of whether or not defendants are entitled to an evidentiary hearing.

The request for stay is denied.

Upon motion of Mr. Bevilacqua and Ms. Corey, the disks accompanying the Initial Notice of Disclosure will be marked and received in evidence as exhibits following the oral argument.

IT IS ORDERED directing all attorneys to submit the disks attached to the Initial Notice of Disclosure dated March 25, 2015 so they may be admitted into evidence in each case, if they have not already done so.

Mr. Crocker advises the Court that he has filed a Notice of Claim of Statue Challenge (A.R.S. § 13-751 *et al.*) on behalf of Macario Lopez. The Notice was delivered to the Speaker of the House, President of the Senate and the Arizona Attorney General pursuant to statute. The Court assumes all defendants are joining in and have filed that Notice.

The Court's standing ruling on the camera request is to allow still and video cameras, but not to allow defendants individually or as a group be photographed. Because any reconsideration of that ruling may affect whether defendants choose to be present on May 8,

IT IS ORDERED that any challenge regarding the Court's standing camera ruling shall be filed by **Wednesday**, **April 29**, **2015**. The Court will set a hearing if a request for reconsideration is received.

IT IS ORDERED that no later than Tuesday, April 28, 2015, all defense counsel shall affirmatively notify the Court whether their clients wish to be present at the oral argument on May 8. (See "Later.") If no notice is received, the Court will take the default position that the defendant *does* want to be present and will issue a "by any means" order if the defendant verbally refuses to attend.

IT IS ORDERED affirming Oral Argument on the Motion to Dismiss State's Notice of Intent to Seek the Death Penalty on **May 8, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.** in this Division.

2:27 p.m. Matter concludes.

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Later:

The Court notes that the deadline to advise the Court whether defendants will be present on May 8, 2015 should be **Tuesday**, **May 5**, **2015** (not April 28, 2015).